

I CLAIM:

1. A foldable chair frame comprising:

5 a front leg having a lower end portion adapted to be supported on a ground surface, a tubular upper end portion which extends upwardly and rearwardly from said lower end portion and which confines an axial insert hole with a top opening, and an intermediate portion between said lower end portion and said tubular upper end portion, said upper end portion being formed with
10 at least one radial positioning hole;

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15 a rear leg having a lower end portion adapted to be supported on the ground surface, an upper end portion which extends upwardly and forwardly from said lower end portion of said rear leg, and an intermediate portion connected pivotally to said intermediate portion of said front leg;

20 an adjustable extension rod having a lower end portion extending into said axial insert hole in said upper end portion of said front leg via said top opening, and an upper end portion, said lower end portion of said extension rod being provided with a resilient positioning protrusion which projects radially into said positioning hole for engaging said positioning hole so as to position said lower end portion of said
25 extension rod on said upper end portion of said front leg; and

a seat frame disposed above said front and rear legs and said extension rod, and having a rear part connected pivotally to said upper end portion of said extension rod, and a front part connected pivotally to
5 said upper end portion of said rear leg;

said positioning protrusion being depressible for disengaging from said positioning hole to permit sliding movement of said extension rod relative to said front leg, thereby permitting said extension rod to
10 retract into said upper end portion of said front leg, and thereby permitting folding of said front and rear legs toward said seat frame.

2. The foldable chair frame as claimed in Claim 1, wherein said extension rod is tubular in shape and
15 confines an axial passage with a radial mounting hole, and has a resilient positioning member received in said axial passage, said resilient positioning protrusion being formed on said resilient positioning member.

3. The foldable chair frame as claimed in Claim 2, wherein said positioning member includes a spring plate
20 with two lateral plate portions which cooperatively form a generally V-shaped structure, said positioning protrusion being formed on an outer side of one of said lateral plate portions opposite to the other one of said
25 lateral plate portions.

4. The foldable chair frame as claimed in Claim 1, wherein said upper end portion of said front leg is

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further formed with a radial retaining hole, said lower end portion of said extension rod further having a resilient retaining protrusion which projects resiliently and radially into said retaining hole in said front leg to help secure said extension rod on said front leg, said retaining protrusion being depressible for disengaging from said retaining hole so as to permit sliding movement of said extension rod relative to said front leg when said retaining protrusion and said positioning protrusion are depressed.

5. The foldable chair frame as claimed in Claim 4, wherein said extension rod is tubular in shape and confines an axial passage with a radial mounting hole, and has a resilient retaining member received in said axial passage, said resilient retaining protrusion being formed on said resilient retaining member.

6. The foldable chair frame as claimed in Claim 5, wherein said retaining member includes a spring plate having two lateral plate portions which cooperatively form a generally V-shaped structure, said retaining protrusion being formed on an outer side of one of said lateral plate portions opposite to the other one of said lateral plate portions.

7. The foldable chair frame as claimed in Claim 1, wherein said upper end portion of said front leg is formed with at least two of said radial positioning holes which are aligned with and displaced from each

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other in an axial direction, said positioning protrusion being extendible into a selected one of said radial positioning holes for engaging the selected one of said radial positioning holes in order to position said seat frame at a desired inclination.

8. The foldable chair frame as claimed in Claim 1, wherein said seat frame has front and rear pivot seats at said front and rear parts, respectively, each of said pivot seats including a parallel pair of pivot lobes which extend downwardly from said seat frame, said upper end portion of said extension rod being disposed between said pivot lobes of said rear pivot seat, said upper end portion of said rear leg being disposed between said pivot lobes of said front pivot seat, each of said front and rear pivot seats further including a pivot pin extending transversely through said pivot lobes for mounting pivotally said upper end portion of a respective one of said extension rod and said rear leg on a corresponding one of said rear and front pivot seats.

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